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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Ramesh Keshavaraj
Serial Number: 09/932,338
Filed: August 17, 2001
For: **MULTIPLE PANEL AIRBAG AND METHOD**
Group Art Unit: 3616
Examiner: English, Peter C.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner of Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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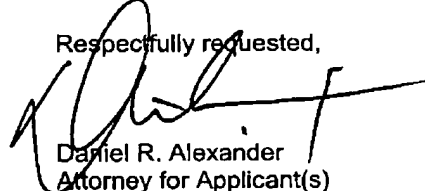
Sir:

Attorney for Applicant(s) hereby requests an extension of time of one (1) month in which to respond to the Action which was mailed August 14, 2003. Upon granting this request Applicant's response will be due on December 14, 2003. Please charge the \$110.00 fee and any additional fees, and credit any overpayment, for this Extension of Time to our deposit account number 04-0500. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

It is respectfully urged that this request is proper and that it be granted to provide the additional time necessary to formulate a satisfactory response to this Official Action. It is believed that by granting this request further prosecution of this application will be expedited and Applicant's interest in achieving the best possible protection for his invention can be best achieved.

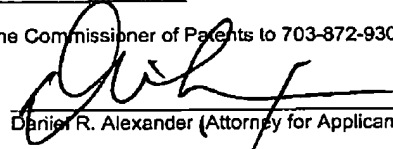
Respectfully requested,

December 15, 2003


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CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent by facsimile to the Commissioner of Patents to 703-872-9306 along with a Notice of Appeal on December 15, 2003.


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